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In re the PATENT application of

Michael A. Mayor, et al.

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For: METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR ORGANIZING SELECTION OF OPERATIONAL
PARAMETERS IN A COMMUNICATION SYSTEM

ATTN: BOX MISSING PARTS
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing in the subject application are a Response to the Notice to File Missing Parts (2 pages); a Declaration and Power of Attorney (3 pages); Copy of Form PTO-1533; Petition for Extension of Time; Assignment (5 page), Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet (3 pages); Check #4772 in the amount of \$40.00 for payment of the assignment recordation filing fee; and Check #4773 in the amount of \$1,184.00 in payment of the subject application filing fee, surcharge and one month extension of time fee.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees required for the above-identified application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 05-0460.

Respectfully submitted,


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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated February 5, 2001, enclosed for filing in the subject application are an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney (3 pages), a copy of Form PTO-1533 and Check #4773 in the amount of \$1,184.00, in payment of the subject application filing fee calculated as shown below, including a one month extension of time filing fee.

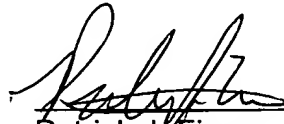
Fee Calculation

					FILING FEE	\$ 710.00
					SURCHARGE	\$ 130.00
TOTAL CLAIMS	33	-	20	= 13	Extra x \$18 =	\$ 234.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	3	-	3	= 0	Extra x \$80=	\$ 00.00
					TOTAL FEE	\$1,074.00



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FORMALITIES LETTER



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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$234.
 ■ \$234 for 13 total claims over 20.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1074.

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02 FC:105	130.00 DP
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